

A BIG CONVENTION.

SUNDAY SCHOOL OF SHERIDAN AND MADISON TOWNSHIPS.

Held A Joint Gathering at The Phelps Grove Southeast of This Place Last Sunday.

Perhaps the largest gathering of its kind ever held in this part of Jasper county convened in Phelps Grove on last Sunday. It was the Township Sunday School Convention of Sheridan and Madison townships and was conducted as a union service, with all the schools of both townships participating. The review of the quarter's lessons by Rev. Parker Allen was the opening number on the program and was considered by all to be the best service of its kind they ever attended. He was known as the "Father of the County Sunday School" and he rightly deserves the title. For almost half a century he has been in the active Sunday School work in this county, having witnessed its growth from very beginning to the present time. His presence and earnest teaching was a real encouragement to those who attend these conventions.

After a beautiful basket dinner had been served the program was continued. Singing various songs were interspersed among the other numbers on the program and proved quite entertaining. An address was delivered by Co. Pres. N. C. Spencer on "The Progressive Sunday School Work" noting the necessity of united effort, especially in the House to House work at the Sunday School.

Rev. A. H. Joyce made an address on the "Progressive Sunday School Movement" tracing its history of advancement and growth and recommending more progress and unity in the methods in conducting Sunday schools and general Sunday School work.

Rev. O. W. Jones gave an excellent short address on "How I keep up the attendance in my Sunday School." He advocated better preparation on the part of Sunday School officers and teachers that pupils coming in might be better taught and interested.

Paul Leon H. Swindland supported Rev. W. T. Ferguson's plan in regard to State Convention and also gave his own address on "Booze vs. Bore" showing how men's intelligence had conquered all other things and then did so unreasonably a thing as to originate "Booze" to destroy itself. He maintained that there is not one logical reason for its manufacture much less its sale or use, and that man had therefore allowed "Booze" to win against every argument of his "Bore."

Are you lacking in strength and vigor? Are you weak? Are you in pain? Do you feel all run down? The blessing of health and strength come to all who go Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea, Salts, J. K. Scholer

Notes

All who are indebted to us are requested to call and settle on or before October 1. We are sending out statements to all who have not yet paid, and all will find it to their promptness. J. W. Boucher & Son.

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Zion Items.

True, these days are somewhat warm but can't we endure a little heat after so much rain?

Mr. Shands sold his farm one day last week to a lady from Duenweg. The consideration was \$8000. He has no plans for the future.

Mrs. W. Houck and son Hoyt of Cherryvale, Kans. and Mrs. Harker of Carthage returned to their homes, Saturday, after a weeks visit in this neighborhood.

The Sunday School Convention of Madison and Sheridan townships, which was held in Phelps Grove, Sunday, was largely attended. The programme was carried out in full with but one or two exceptions.

Harold Schooler has been on the sick list for the last few days and has been unable to attend school.

Frank Rogers came in from St. Louis Sunday morning to spend a few days with friends and relatives. He returned Tuesday evening.

George Earl is on the sick list.

Stella Vincent planned a very pleasant surprise on her friend, Stella Covert, Monday evening. The crowd, which numbered about 60, met and went in a body to Miss Covert's home. When they arrived they found she had retired for the night but they soon aroused her and informed her as it was her nineteenth birthday they had come to help her celebrate it. She soon put in her appearance and the evening was spent in a most enjoyable way with games and music. About ten o'clock refreshments of pie, candy, nuts, and bananas were served. They departed at a late hour wishing Stella many more happy birthdays.

Denton.

Miss Ella Noland of Jasper spent last week with Misses Orlene and Ivy Joyce. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Joyce spent Sunday at F. L. Boss.

Alex Steelman hauled a load of potatoes to Lamar, Thursday.

Uncle Frank Mann of Lamar, was down in these parts last Monday.

Alex Campbell started for South Dakota, last Sunday. He will be away about sixty days.

Geo. Schreiner loaded several cars with hay and shipped from here, last week.

Bad Bleelman was transacting business at the hub last Monday.

Misses Orlene Joyce and Ella Noland called on Mesdames Roberts and Tucker last Thursday.

Josh Box brought his mother home from Lamar, last Saturday.

Will Hill and wife, spent Thursday with Bud Steelman's.

Robert Owens of Pittsburg, Kansas, visited his parents, last week.

Harry Harrington is able to be out on his crutches.

Miss Lizzie Stansberry of Lamar, spent Sunday at A. H. Joyce's.

Nels Fancher's are moving in the Frank Riet house, lately vacated by Billy Riet.

Miss Bertha Williams is attending Lamar College.

Mrs. Homer Stockdale spent Sunday night with her mother, Mrs. Eteman.

Mrs. Maude Hepburn of Neek City, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Uncle Peter Carr drove to Neek City last Wednesday. His granddaughters Mrs. Ida Carr and Mrs. Hepburn accompanied him home.

Andrew Harrah of Lamar attended lodge here last Thursday night.

Ben Tucker came home from Lamar on a wheel last Saturday.

POULTRY WANTED

We are again in the poultry business and will pay the highest market price for poultry. R. L. Roberts & Son.

Best For Children.

Mothers, be very careful of the health of your children. Look out for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough. Stop them in time—One Minute cough cure is the best remedy. Harmless and pleasant. Contains no opiates. Sold by J. K. Scholer.

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TEMPERANCE COLUMN

Conducted by the W. C. T. U.

The state convention will be held in Joplin on Oct. 3, 4, 5.

The Jasper White Ribboners want to help swell the number for the 22nd Dist. We are all busy and find plenty to do and very much encouraged in the way the voters are taking up the work. Don't neglect to read the editorials in this paper. Those who didn't hear the talk on "Booze" at the Sunday School Convention missed a good thing. By the way the Governor enforcing law: Fake hotels closing up; gamblers being arrested; Sunday closing (and everyday closing in Kansas being enforced. It looks like the W. C. T. U. can take a rest but they won't as long as there is a saloon in the land and our roads are built with tainted money.

So come to the Convention and rejoice together at the awakening of the people on this great subject as they are aware of never before and the time is near when our Black Curse shall be swept from the land. Joplin is preparing for a rousing convention. Everybody come. M. S. MATTHEWS.

Dewey Items.

After Sunday school next Sunday there will be a meeting in regard to the new Salem church. Everybody interested come out and give your opinion. The meeting will be called to order at 11 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown was calling on their daughter Mrs. Buster Sunday.

Mr. Campbell had a son arrive from Washington Sunday with wife and four children. Mr. Campbell has now in the Dewey district 8 children and 10 grand children.

Mr. Campbell and son-in-law Mr. Duckert are running a sorghum mill.

Estey Busby is well now.

A number of Deweyites attended the convention at Phelps Grove Sunday and report a profitable meeting and a very large attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlo Estey spent Sunday with Mrs. Owens.

The Hollister are still holding meetings on the Trumbull place.

Letter List.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in the Post Office at Jasper Mo. for the week ending Sept. 23 1905.

Letters.

Mrs. W. Doeke, J. A. Royer, A. J. Sommerville.

G. B. WADE P. M.

Drs. Goss & Goss, Veterinary Surgeons, of Pittsburg, Kans., will be in Jasper, October 6, 7, 8 and 9, with headquarters at Schooler's Drug Store or Livery barn.

Tablets, Pens, Pencils, Ink at Jasper Racket Store.

Partnership Formed.

I wish to thank my many patrons for past favors and wish to announce that owing to my increased practice I have associated with me Dr. W. H. Knott who is not a stranger to most of Jasper. In forming this partnership we will be better able to care for the office practice as one of us will be in the office all the time. B. A. Goehman, M. D.

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\$25.50 To California Points	\$22.25 to Ogden, Salt Lake and Butte
\$27.25 to Portland, Tacoma and Seattle	\$22.25 to all points in Colorado, Salida and west on Main Line D & R G. Through
\$24.75 to Spokane, Wallace and Roseland, B. C.	Tourist Car Service from Kansas City.

Kan. City Fall Festivities

To Kansas City and Return

\$4.10

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